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Honorable Eugene M. Buckert
Secretary of the Air Force
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Buckert:

Thank you very much for your letter of 2 March concerning the National Civil Service League's 7th Annual Career Service Awards Dinner.

I was very happy to learn that you are going to serve as Chairman of the Sponsorship Committee for this important event and I want to assure you that we will give it our fullest support. As requested in your letter, we are publicizing the affair throughout the Agency and Mr. Robert D. Nichols, our Director of Personnel, who will be attending the luncheon today, has been designated as our representative to stimulate the sale of tickets.

With my best wishes,

Sincerely,

Signed

Allen V. Dulles
Director

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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Dear Mr. Director:

It is a pleasure to serve this year as Chairman of the Sponsorship Committee for the National Civil Service League's 7th Annual Career Service Awards Dinner. This is one of the most important activities which brings public attention and prestige to the outstanding people in the Federal service. I share with you this pleasure that one of the persons from your agency is being honored this year.

I am personally urging the people in the Department of the Air Force to give fullest support to the Awards Dinner, March 21, at the Sheraton-Park Hotel, and I hope that you will do the same in your organization. This will be the first presentation of these awards since the Kennedy Administration has taken office. It provides a fine opportunity for demonstrating our support of the career principle and the career men and women.

I hope that you will encourage the maximum publicity regarding your award winner. It would be appreciated also if you would appoint a representative to stimulate ticket sales for the dinner. The League is inviting those persons so designated to be their guests at a luncheon on Thursday, March 9th, at the University Club. I expect to attend the luncheon and talk with the group. It would be helpful if your designee would call the League office at ME 8-4614 to confirm the luncheon attendance.

Thank you very much for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,

The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director, Central Intelligence
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